continued use on public lands of the expedited processes successfully used for windstorm-damaged national forests and grasslands in Texas (Rept. 106–1021). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL PURSUANT TO RULE X

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1689. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 1882. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 2580. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 4144. Referral to the Committee on the Budget extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 4548. Referral to the Committee on Education and the Workforce extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 4585. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 4725. Referral to the Committee on Education and the Workforce extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 4857. Referral to the Committees on the Judiciary, Banking and Financial Services, and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 5130. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

H.R. 5291. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than November 1, 2000.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 5607. A bill to prohibit an insurer from treating a veteran differently in the terms or conditions of motor vehicle insurance because a motor vehicle operated by the veteran, during a period of military service by the veteran, was insured or owned by the United States; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 5608. A bill to establish alternative sentencing procedures for certain nonviolent drug offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 5609. A bill to ensure the availability of funds for ergonomic protection standards; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. BONILLA (for himself and Mr. ORTIZ):

H. Con. Res. 440. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Government of Mexico should adhere to the terms of the 1944 Utilization of Waters of the Colorado and Tijuana Rivers and of the Rio Grande Treaty Between the United States and Mexico; to the Committee on International Relations.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

486. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to Resolution No. 104 memorializing the United States Forest Service Chief and the Pennsylvania Congressional delegation support proper timber harvesting as a management tool to ensure better forest health in Pennsylvania; to the Committee on Agriculture.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII:

Mr. THOMPSON of California submitted a bill (H.R. 5610) to the relief of Patricia and Michael Duane, Gregory Hansen, Mary Pimental, Randy Ruiz, Elaine Schlinger, and Gerald Whitaker; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 287: Mr. Jenkins.

H.R. 303: Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 2385: Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 2741: Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island and Mrs. Napolitano.

H.R. 3825: Mr. SANDERS.

H.R. 3911: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 4025: Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 4277: Ms. CARSON.

 $\rm H.R.~4707;~Mr.~Kennedy~of~Rhode~Island~and~Mr.~Campbell.$

H.R. 4728: Mr. EHRLICH, and Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 4770: Mr. Boswell.

H.R. 5128: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 5200: Mrs. FOWLER.

H.R. 5204: Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island and Mr. McGovern.

 $\rm H.R.~5274;~Mr.~Mollohan,~Mr.~Evans,~and~Ms.~Stabenow.$

 $\rm H.R.~5342;~Mr.~Minge,~Mr.~Kind,~and~Mrs.~Christensen.$

H.R. 5472: Mr. Hoeffel.

H.R. 5540: Mr. NADLER and Mr. KINGSTON.

H. Con Res. 431: Mr. LANTOS and Mrs. CAPPS.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

116. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Embassy of the Republic of the Marshall Islands, relative to Resolution No. 32 petitioning the United States Congress to Express the Support of the Nitijela for the Petition on Changed Circumstances Pursuant to the Compact of Free Association between the Republic of the Marshall Islands and the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Resources.